

House Resolution 292

By: Representatives Buckner of the 137th, Williams of the 145th, Mathis of the 144th, Collins of the 68th, and Bentley of the 139th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Honoring the life and memory of Bobby Frank Smith; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia mourns the loss of one of its most distinguished citizens
3 with the passing of Bobby Frank Smith on February 17, 2019; and
- 4 WHEREAS, Bobby Frank Smith was born on September 7, 1937, in Talbotton, Georgia, a
5 beloved son of Frank G. Smith and Myrtice Goolsby Smith; and
- 6 WHEREAS, Bobby was a founding partner of Smith-Steele-Meadows Funeral Homes in
7 Manchester and Woodbury, Georgia, and he retired in 2015 after serving more than 50 years
8 as the owner of Talbotton Funeral Home in Talbotton, Georgia; and
- 9 WHEREAS, he gave inspiration to many through his high ideals, morals, and deep concern
10 for his fellow citizens, and the devotion, patience, and understanding he demonstrated to his
11 family and friends were admired by others; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Bobby was a person of magnanimous strengths with an unimpeachable
13 reputation for integrity, intelligence, fairness, and kindness, and by the example he made of
14 his life, he made this world a better place in which to live; and
- 15 WHEREAS, a compassionate and generous man, Bobby will long be remembered for his
16 love of family, friendship, and community and will be missed by all who had the great
17 fortune of knowing him.
- 18 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
19 the members of this body join in honoring the life and memory of Bobby Frank Smith and
20 express their deepest and most sincere regret at his passing.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
22 and directed to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the
23 family of Bobby Frank Smith.